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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Ashley G. Price and George D. Parks

Serial No.: 10/090,343

Group Art Unit: 1754

Filed: March 4, 2002

Examiner: Edward M. Johnson

For: DESULFURIZATION AND NOVEL COMPOSITION FOR SAME

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a request for continued examination of the above-identified application Serial No. 10/090,343 in response to the Advisory Action mailed July 27, 2005, and the Final Office Action (FOA) mailed June 2, 2005.

Please consider the attached amendment and response under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 which was previously filed on July 1, 2005 as the required submission under 37 C.F.R. 1.114. This amendment and response was not previously entered.

Please charge Deposit Account 16-1575 in the amount of the fee set forth in § 1.17(e) of \$790.00. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required under 37 CFR 1.16 or 37 CFR 1.17, or credit

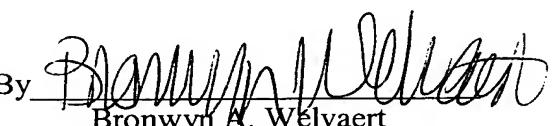
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Respectfully submitted,

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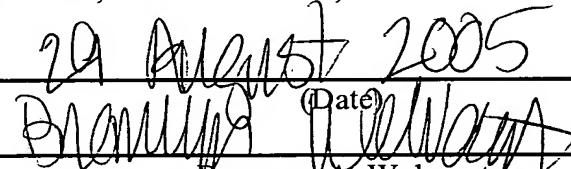
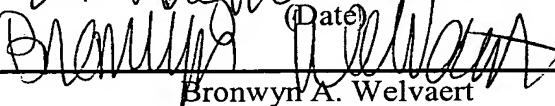
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